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Group Art Unit: **2176**

Application No.:

09/328,607 (Conf. No. 7017)

Docket No.: **Acharya 3-6-8**
(S&L Docket No. P22,653-A USA)

Filed: **June 9, 1999**

For: **COMPUTER IMPLEMENTED METHOD
AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING A
LOGICAL POINT OF ACCESS TO ONE OR MORE FILES**

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 31, 2002

Sir:

This Reply is responsive to the Office Action, dated July 31, 2002, in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and reexamination of this application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)		Docket No. Acharya 3-6-8
Applicant(s): S. Acharya, H. Korth, V. Poosala		

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Invention: **Computer Implemented Method and Apparatus for Providing a Logical Point of Access to One or More Files**


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